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11 Effective of PLANT 2004. Complete if Known Fees pursuant to the Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2005 (H.R. 4818). **Application Number** 10/600,712 FEE TRANSMITTAI Filing Date 23 June 2003 For FY 2005 First Named Inventor DUBE, Michael F. **Examiner Name** WALLS, Dionne Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27 **Art Unit** 1731 TOTAL AMOUNT OF PAYMENT 2,100.00 Attorney Docket No. 14150-00601 METHOD OF PAYMENT (check all that apply) Check Credit Card Other (please identify): Money Order None ✓ Deposit Account Deposit Account Number: 03-2469 Deposit Account Name: COLLIER SHANNON SCOTT For the above-identified deposit account, the Director is hereby authorized to: (check all that apply) Charge fee(s) indicated below Charge fee(s) indicated below, except for the filing fee Charge any additional fee(s) or underpayments of fee(s) Credit any overpayments under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17 WARNING: Information on this form may become public. Credit card information should not be included on this form. Provide credit card Information and authorization on PTO-2038. **FEE CALCULATION** 1. BASIC FILING, SEARCH, AND EXAMINATION FEES **FILING FEES EXAMINATION FEES** SEARCH FEES **Small Entity Small Entity** Small Entity **Application Type** Fee (\$) Fees Paid (\$) Fee (\$) Fee (\$) Fee (\$) Fee (\$) Fee (\$) Utility 300 200 150 500 100 250 Design 200 100 100 130 65 50 Plant 200 100 300 160 150 80 300 Reissue 150 500 600 250 300 Provisional 200 100 0 0 0 **Small Entity** 2. EXCESS CLAIM FEES Fee (\$) Fee Description Fee (\$) 50 25 Each claim over 20 (including Reissues) 200 100 Each independent claim over 3 (including Reissues) Multiple dependent claims 360 180 **Total Claims Extra Claims** Fee Paid (\$) Multiple Dependent Claims Fee (\$) 59 - 20 or HP = 13 50 650.00 Fee (\$) Fee Paid (\$) HP = highest number of total claims paid for, if greater than 20. Indep. Claims **Extra Claims** Fee (\$) Fee Paid (\$) 8 - 3 or HP = 5 200 1.000.00 HP = highest number of independent claims paid for, if greater than 3. 3. APPLICATION SIZE FEE If the specification and drawings exceed 100 sheets of paper (excluding electronically filed sequence or computer listings under 37 CFR 1.52(e)), the application size fee due is \$250 (\$125 for small entity) for each additional 50 sheets or fraction thereof. See 35 U.S.C. 41(a)(1)(G) and 37 CFR 1.16(s).

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## REQUEST FOR TWO MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

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Dear Sir:

Receipt of the Official Communication mailed November 16, 2004 for the above-referenced application is respectfully acknowledged. Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), Applicants respectfully request a Two Month Extension of Time within which to respond to the Office Action dated November 16, 2004. Payment of the fee required pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(a)(1) is provided herewith. A Response to the Office Action is also enclosed herewith.

Respectfully Submitted,

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